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Mr. Forese:

I am writing to you regarding Docket: E-01345A-16-0036/E-01345A-16-0123. I strongly object to the APS request for Mandatory Demand Charges. This could create bills that would be double the current, regular charges, where we pay what we use. If I use \$5 electricity daily, but one day I use \$10, then my 30days bill would be \$300 instead of \$153, under the Demand Charges.

How would you like if a restaurant/night club where there is a "table charge" would bill you for twenty tables all the time, although you use only one?? They could say they have to provide the twenty tables since you may come in with a "wedding party" and need all twenty for you! So they have to have twenty tables there all the time, for any and all customers, and charge the twenty for everybody.

APS had Power Generating Stations, High tension Wires and Transformer Stations for a long, long time. The price of electricity has a built-in amount to provide for upkeep, replacement parts. If they need to build new facilities they have to front the money, then they can recover this money as they sell the product. Just like any other company. If a restaurant wants to add extra rooms, they cannot make their current customers pay extra high bills so they can build. Or this restaurant will go broke fast, as people will stay away. But with APS we have no choice, so the Commission must tell them how they have to run their business. Build from their savings or borrow money. Even though the Commission is called "Corporate" I believe you are there to protect the people from the monopolistic companies. So we the people are watching and hope you will do the right thing.

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